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SUBJECT: BLUE LANTERN LEVEL 3: PRE-LICENSE END-USE CHECK

ON APPLICATION 050091259

REF: 2006 BLUE LANTERN GUIDEBOOK

- 11. This is an Action Request. See paragraphs 2-4.
- 12. The Department's Office of Defense Trade Controls Compliance (PM/DTCC) requests post's assistance in conducting a pre-license check on application 050091259 for the export of a KC-135 spare part to the French Air Force. Post is requested to complete this Blue Lantern check within 30 days. Lack of response to a Blue Lantern check will affect pending and future licenses involving parties to this license.
- 13. Reason for request: Unfamiliar foreign consignee, Satori, present on Department's watchlist and never subject to prior Blue Lantern check.
- 14. ACTION: Embassy is requested to make inquiries with appropriate Satori officials to determine if it has ordered the KC-135 spare part and that it will be used for the purpose stated on the license. Department requests that Embassy conduct a site visit to Satori in order to provide an assessment of its business operations, on-site security, and general reliability as a recipient of United States Munitions List (USML) items. POC at Satori is Karine Charlemagne, Purchasing Manager, TEL: 33-0-1-46-62-73-00; reference Purchase Order # N084247 dated Feb. 22, 2008. The following questions are offered as suggested guidance with Satori:
- Can Satori provide documentation from the French Air Force establishing it as the end user of item listed in paragraph 5 below?
- Who are Satori's main customers?
- Does the company understand the restrictions on United States Munitions List (USML) articles, particularly regarding re-export and retransfer?
- If a site visit is not possible, please inform PM/DTCC case officer. End action.
- 15. Details of license application:

DTC Case: 050091259

QUANTITY/COMMODITY:

1 P/N: 8DJ125GAA1 Description: Fuel flow indicator

License Value: USD 2,400.00

SELLER:

Prime Industries, Inc. 406 Dividend Drive Peachtree City, GA 30269

FOREIGN CONSIGNEE:

Air France Industries Mabk Orly Sud 124 94396 Orly Aerogare France

FOREIGN CONSIGNEE:

Satori 185 Rue de Rome, Zone Sud BP 151 Aeroport du Bourget 93352 Le Bourget Cedex, France Repair Station

FOREIGN END-USER:

French Air Force Base Aerienne D'Istres 13800 Istres, France

PURPOSE:

Repair and maintenance of the Boeing KC-135 owned and operated by the French Air Force.

- 16. Please slug reply for PM/DTCC BLUE LANTERN COORDINATOR and include the words "Blue Lantern" and the case number in the subject line. POC is Tim Watkins, Phone: 202-663-2814; Email: WatkinsTR@state.gov; SIPRNET: WatkinsTR@state.sgov.gov. The Blue Lantern Guidebook (ref) is available as a PDF file in the Bunche Library's E-Book Collection on the DOS Intranet: http://buncheelectroniclibrary.state.gov/eboo ks/BlueLanternGuidebook2006%20 final .pdf
- $\underline{\P}7.$ Department is grateful for post's assistance in this matter. RICE